

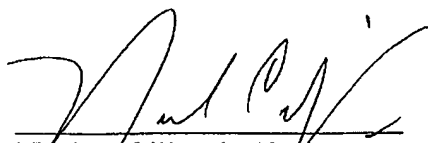
CONCLUSION

No extension fees are believed to be due since the "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment" was mailed to the wrong address. A Change of Correspondence Address (PTO/SB/122) was faxed to the Patent Office on February 23, 2005, which is prior to the mailing date of the Notice. The current mailing address was also included on the last page of the "amendment document" filed on April 22, 2005 that is the subject of the Notice. Additionally, Denise Hopkins was telephoned on July 1, 2005 and informed of the incorrectly addressed Notice and a new Notice was requested. Ms. Hopkins stated that a "New Notice" with a reset date would be mailed to the Baker & McKenzie LLP, Dallas Office, as requested. The Applicant has yet to receive this "new Notice", but is sending this reply to avoid further delay. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed if it is determined that an extension of time is required. However, if it is deemed that an extension of time is not required due to the error in mailing the Notice, the Examiner is requested to credit any over payment to deposit account 13-0480 referencing attorney docket number 67174929-001101.

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